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- 1. WASHINGTON DATELINE HAPDONG REPORT QUOTES ASSISTANT SECSTATE HOLBROOKE AS STATING THAT "PERIOD OF CONTAINMENT OF CHINESE COMMUNISM, PERIOD OF (U.S.) OPPOSITION TO NORTH KOREAN AND NORTH VIETNAMESE EFFORTS TO EXPAND THEIR CONTROL CLEARLY ENDED." HAPDONG REPORTS SECRETARY HOLBROOKE IN REMARKS TO TWO-DAY CONFERENCE OF EDITORS AND BROADCASTERS IN WASHINGTON. ALSO SAID U.S. "LOOKING OVER THE REGION (ASIA) UNDER A SOMEWHAT LOWER PRIORITY."
- 2. WOULD APPRECIATE FULL TEXT, IF AVAILABLE, OF SECRETARY HOLBROOKE'S REMARKS. AFTERNOON PAPERS GIVING TOP PAGE ONE PLAY. WE EXPECT QUERIES FROM OFFICIAL AND NON-OFFICIAL SOURCES. SNEIDER

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